



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Phyllis Feldkamp

Roseburg, OR 97470

Dear Ms. Feldkamp:

The Federal Election Commission ("Commission"), the regulatory agency that administers and enforces the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"), has ascertained information in the normal course of carrying out its supervisory responsibilities indicating that you may have violated the Act. Specifically, it appears that you may have loaned \$34,780 to Jim Feldkamp for Congress, a federal political committee, in March 2004, and that in September 2004 you gave your son, James L. Feldkamp, a check in the amount of \$75,000 which he subsequently used for his federal election campaign. Both of these transactions appear to be in excess of the applicable contribution limits under the Act, which at the relevant time was \$2,000 per election. See Title 2 of the United States Code ("2 U.S.C.") section 441a(a)(1)(A) and (a)(3).

The Commission's Office of the General Counsel is reviewing this information in connection with making a recommendation to the Commission as to whether there is reason to believe that you violated the Act, an initial determination necessary to initiate an investigation into whether a violation has, in fact, occurred. See 2 U.S.C. section 437g(a)(2). Before the General Counsel makes such a recommendation, you may provide in writing any factual or legal materials that you believe are relevant to this matter. Your submission, if you choose to make one, must be submitted within 15 days of receipt of this letter and addressed to the General Counsel's Office. After 15 days, the General Counsel's Office will present its recommendations to the Commission. Any response submitted by you will be taken into account in these recommendations. The Commission will then consider the recommendations and, if the Commission finds that there is reason to believe you may have violated the Act, initiate an enforcement matter regarding your contributions.

This matter will remain confidential in accordance with 2 U.S.C. sections 437g(a)(4)(B) and 437g(a)(12)(A) unless you notify the Commission in writing that you wish the matter to be made public. If you intend to be represented by legal counsel in this matter, please advise the Commission by completing the enclosed form stating the name, address and telephone number of such counsel, and authorizing such counsel to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kate Belinski", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Kate Belinski
Attorney

Enclosure
Designation of Counsel Form

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